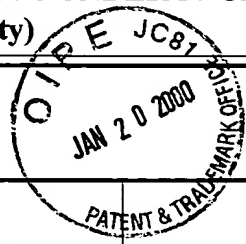


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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>(Large Entity)</b>			Docket No. 980292	
In Re Application Of: Pecnik et al.				
Serial No. 09/184,553	Filing Date 2 November 1998	Examiner Ho, H.	Group Art Unit 3681	
Invention: Automotive Transmission				



TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 12 January 2000 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: 12 December 1999    until: 12 January 2000  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is # \$110 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 3R#  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. #  
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*Signature*

Dated: 12 January 2000

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on <u>12 January 2000</u> with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.	
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